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Dear Mr. Parkman,

Thank you so much for your kind letter regarding my recent appearance at the National Newspaper Association Conference.

As I said at the Conference, I believe that an important part of my job as Director of Central Intelligence is to restore the confidence of the American people in the intelligence service. One of the best ways to do this is to ensure that people such as you and your colleagues have an opportunity to hear and to question the leaders of the intelligence community about our views on the proper role of intelligence in a democratic society.

It is good to know of your support and confidence. Thank you for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

/s/ George Bush

George Bush
Director